

WENCK HEADS BOXING BOARD

NEWS OF ALL BRANCHES OF SPORT

INFORMATION FOR AUTO DRIVERS

PLAYERS WHO WERE STARS IN FIRST GAME OF WORLD'S SERIES

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What You Want to Know About Your Auto and How To Drive It and Keep It

Expert Advice How to Keep Automobiles Running Smoothly and the Best Way to Remedy Machine Troubles—Traffic Suggestions and Pleasure Routes for Evening World Readers.

By GEORGE E. ROBERTSON. THERE has been a noticeable and agreeable change in the traffic conditions at Lafayette Street and Astor Place since last week, and the head of the Traffic Squad deserves quite a bit of credit for it. Last week it was practically impossible to pass this point just after 6 o'clock in the evening without becoming staked up with horses and auto trucks. Another point, however, which is just above Houston Street on Lafayette Street, at about 6.30 in the evening an express company not only locks its wagons, but stands them, facing north, at the east curb, making the driveway for north and south bound vehicles very narrow and being the cause of many tie-ups at different times. This usually occurs after the traffic police have left their posts for the night, but I think that some warning should be given to the a heavily travelled right of way.

George Robertson. I have a four-cylinder car which, until recently, has been running nicely, but would sputter, at starting, a couple of times and then stop. I would have to heat more gas and start motor a couple of times before it would run again, and then when starting, the machine would pop and sputter again. There seems to be a lack of power at a couple of days ago, still it does not run good. O. P. From your description of the trouble I would suggest that you have the entire gasoline supply system cleaned out. There may be dirt or water in either the carburetor, gas-line pipes or tank.

MAJOR LEAGUE RECORDS Compiled by Moreland News Bureau.

The following records are compiled from official scores published in the different cities and include games played Wednesday, Oct. 8.

Table with multiple columns showing American League Batting Averages, National League Batting Averages, Federal League Batting Averages, American League Pitchers' Records, and National League Pitchers' Records. Includes names of players and their statistics.

WHITMAN APPOINTS FREDERICK C. WENCK CHAIRMAN OF BOXING

New York Sporting Writer Is Named to Head State Athletic Commission. Gov. Whitman last night appointed Frederick A. Wenck of New Rochelle Chairman of the State Athletic Commission in place of Frank J. O'Neill. This is the first appointment under the Malone Act, which made the boxing board a salaried commission. There are still two Commissioners and a secretary to be named. It is reported that Frank Dwyer of Geneva, N. Y., and William F. Mathewson of Brooklyn will be made Commissioners and John Franey of Albany Secretary. Wenck is well known here. He is a sporting writer of experience and a graduate of Yale. While at college he was a member of the championship swimming team and also represented Yale in a boxing tournament in London. He is thirty-five years old.

1,600 Boys Will Compete in Final Athletic Meet

Youngsters of All Ages in Games To-Day at Brooklyn Field for Sunday World Prizes. That fully 1,600 boys actually competed in these field day meets and a quarter of a million boys and girls were directly interested as spectators. Twelve meet have developed into one of the most important branches of school activities. Many were held in schoolyards, armories and the Public Schools Athletic League fields. It would have been impossible for many of the small schools located in the outlying districts to conduct a meet of this character, on account of lack of funds required for prizes, numbers and programmes. Invitations for to-day's meet were sent to the Mayor, Borough President, President Thomas W. Churchill and his fellow members of the Board of Education. Replies have been received by Dr. C. Ward Crampton, Secretary of the League, accepting his kind offer and stating that they will be present if it is at all possible. A fine musical programme will be rendered by the schoolboy band from P. S. No. 31, Manhattan. This band is composed of boys averaging twelve years of age and residing in the most congested section of our great city.

Entry Blanks Ready Monday for The Evening World Tournament

Twelve of the Leading Bowling Academies Will Make Up the Circuit. From the highest averages for the ten best scores at the end of the elimination period, which will continue six weeks, beginning Oct. 27. The tournament proper will then start in a home-and-home series between the best three men from the respective alleys represented. The twelve academies entered in the big tourney are the leading bowling alleys of the Greater City, and will make a pleasant circuit for the men who qualify, giving each team eleven nights at their home alleys and eleven nights away from home. At the meeting of the New York Bowling Association, Inc., in the Hotel Imperial last night, The Evening World's big tourney was the subject of many favorable discussions by the officials and members present. The following officers were elected: W. H. Valentine, President; P. A. Monahan, First Vice President; H. R. Strauss, Treasurer; J. A. Wilson, Membership and Financial Secretary; T. J. Lenahan, Recording and Corresponding Secretary, and a new Board of Governors. It was decided to donate the association medal to the tournaments of the Edison, Bank Clerks and New York Central Bowling Leagues.

Notes From the Golf Links

SHAWNEE, Pa., Oct. 9.—Among the golfers who worked their way into the semi-final round of the Shawnee Country Club tournament yesterday were James C. Parrish Jr., Frank J. Sheble and Reginald S. Worthington. Parrish had to play an extra hole to beat H. M. C. Glenn of Upper Montclair. Mrs. Florian Krug and Miss Marion Scott, who qualified on Thursday, were eliminated yesterday. The summaries: First sixteen (first round)—James C. Parrish Jr. (8), Neilson beat H. M. C. Glenn (10), Upper Montclair, 1 up, 10 holes. H. L. David (12), North Hills, 5 up and 1 to play. Frank J. Sheble (12), North Hills, 5 up and 1 to play. Second round—Parrish beat Glenn (10), Upper Montclair, 1 up, 10 holes. Alex. C. Cook (11), North Hills, 5 up and 1 to play. H. L. David (12), North Hills, 5 up and 1 to play. Third round—Parrish beat Glenn (10), Upper Montclair, 1 up, 10 holes. Alex. C. Cook (11), North Hills, 5 up and 1 to play. H. L. David (12), North Hills, 5 up and 1 to play. Final round—Parrish beat Glenn (10), Upper Montclair, 1 up, 10 holes. Alex. C. Cook (11), North Hills, 5 up and 1 to play. H. L. David (12), North Hills, 5 up and 1 to play.

JAP BILLIARDIST DEFEATS GALLAGHER.

The 1,200-point match at 141 ballline billiards between Tom Gallagher and Koji Yamada, the Japanese champion, which ended last night at Daly's Academy, was won by the latter by the score of 1,200 to 367.

driven by Oldfield and De Palma give them the cars free? Who, in your opinion, is the greatest driver in the game? THOMAS C. LYONS. In order to get racing experience, you should secure a position with some racing team as either a mechanic or driver. From then on it is a question of your own ability and aggressiveness. The drivers usually are used to contact for the various concerns. It would not be fair for me to state my opinion as to the best driver in this column. Automobile Editor: Kindly let me know what is meant by operation of a magneto clock-wise or counter clock-wise. ALLEN. By the term clock-wise is meant that the magneto armature revolves, looking at it from the driven end, in the same direction as the hands of a clock move. Counter clock-wise, of course, denotes that the armature is turned in the opposite direction. Automobile Editor: Kindly inform me what the regulations are to drive a car in the city as a taxi? Is it necessary to have the front mat cut for the driver or man? C. K. M. Write to the Bureau of License, Centre Street, for full information on this subject. Automobile Editor: I have just purchased a new car and would appreciate your advice regarding the insuring of it. My friends and the company would like the car advised me regarding the insurance, but they all have different ideas. I know the complete insurance in this line is well worth having. A. R. M. I believe that the car should be covered by insurance in every possible way. While the complete insurance is costly at the start it is a great protection and the ease of mind which it carries with it cannot be bought at any price. My own car covered in every way with the general accident company, and I feel that with this sort of protection, motor insurance is more of a pleasure. Automobile Editor: Can you furnish me with information as to where I can get a European agency for an American make automobile? JOSEPH M. HARTMAN. Would suggest that you get in touch with some trade paper such as Motor, Automobile Topics, The Glass Magazine, Publishing Company, etc., where you can get full information on the matter. RUBIN NAMES MEN TO HANDLE AMATEUR BOUTS. A committee was appointed yesterday by F. W. Rubin, Secretary-Treasurer of the A. A. U., to take charge of the Sullivan Memorial boxing tournaments at the New York A. C. and Crescent A. C. The men selected are John J. Walsh, Pauline A. C. Chairman; M. P. Halpin and Arthur McAlenean, New York A. C.; Dr. Robert J. Bell and E. W. Dittmar, Crescent A. C.; Andrew E. Tully and Charles J. Harvey. This committee will hold its first meeting on Monday at the A. A. U. headquarters to arrange final details. MOTORISTS' PROBLEMS SOLVED. George E. Robertson, America's foremost racing expert, says: "Automobile owners, prospective owners and men wishing to become chauffeurs should not fail to take a course in your School." Day and Evening Classes; also private instruction at hours to convenience. Special Classes for Ladies. Call or write for booklet. Stewart Auto School. 235 WEST 67TH STREET (at Broadway).

BLUE GRASS PACE WON EASILY BY RUSSELL BOY. LEXINGTON, Oct. 9.—The Blue Grass Stakes, the chief event on the card of the Grand Circuit meeting yesterday, was captured in straight heats by Russell Boy, driven by "Pop" Geers, Altawood being a contender in the first heat, and Queen Abbess in the second and third. Russell Boy was easily the best and had no difficulty in winning. The time in the first heat was 2:02 1/2, which is a record for the race. The Turkey Trot, for three-year-olds, a \$3,000 sweepstakes affair, was won by the Colorado Belle in straight heats.

Annual Motor Cycle Show. There will be a complete display of war motor cycles and bicycles at the annual motor cycle and bicycle show which opens next Monday at Madison Square Garden. Reports from European battlefields indicate that motor cycle and bicycle corps especially in scouting and patrol fighting. In addition to the war exhibit there will be a full line of modern machines and accessories.

What is the best route from Jamaica, L. I. to Bayonne, N. J.? THEO. KRIMM. Follow the Hoffman Boulevard into Long Island City, cross the Queensboro Bridge to Second Avenue and Sixteenth Street. Through Sixth Street to Fifth Avenue, Down Fifth Avenue to Forty-second Street, west to West Street Ferry. The fare will be about 30 cents. After leaving the boat proceed to the Hudson County Boulevard and drive south on this until Bayonne is reached. Automobile Editor: Will the use of barbed wire eliminate carbon as claimed by manufacturers? J. F. I have had no personal experience with the preparation you mention. There are a few of these products on the market which do very good work. Automobile Editor: Will the Ford car sell for \$400 next spring? Could I purchase this car now if a few of these products are on the market which do very good work? FRANK. The price you mention is correct as far as I know. You certainly can purchase it from them. The price is the same. Automobile Editor: Will you kindly let me know the best way to become a racing driver? I have worked about a car for two years and fully understand them. Do the manufacturers of the cars